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TUESDAY FEBRUARY 12, 1889.

Delivering Letters-

was passed requiring the postage upon for, and it seems more than probable that he newspapers, &c., to be prepaid at the office will get them, particularly as all the advanof mailing. It is hardly credible that it tages of alliance would not be on Germany's should have taken an experience of a hun- side. dred years to teach our congressmen the inexcusable folly of making ten thousand or a por merited, of having had it passed. The postal system still has at least one

It is a survival, not of the fittest of reguevery village, and, we judge, even in many the delivery system be extended to Cincinnati Commercial-Gazette adds: Farmville, Wytheville, Abingdon, Fincastle, Harrisonburg, and every town and village in Virginia, or in every State? Every post-office delivering one hundred letters a day should have a letter-carrier. It is a waste of time and a reflection upon any community to compel a hundred men to do what could be so much better done by one man. Of course one carrier ter done by one man. Of course one carrier to the pools. for a village could deliver not only all the letters but newspapers, periodicals, and all other mailable matter. It would be an edueating process. It would cause numerous ersons to write letters who now seldom or never do such a thing. There are a good many persons in every town who never go to the post-office to inquire for letters. Let-

The Government has an abundance of money | form, and also filling every sest, manner. "The blessings of government, like the dews of Heaven, should fall alike | there is the stain of numan blood upon it !upon the rich and the poor"-or, in this New York Tribune. case, upon the inhabitants of villages as well as upon the inhabitants of cities.

The Terminal

mond and West Point Terminal had been was elected weeks or months before CLATTON gulity of acts doubtfully authorized, or of was murdered. an unimportant and thoughtless disregard of its chartered limitations, we should still be opposed to punishing the company, unless | bune can trust it to decide whether or not | fodeed the alleged violations were serious | there is the stain of human blood upon Mr. | lar pri and such as the Legislature would not be BRECKINBIDGE's seat. willing to cure.

The counsel of the company in their arguments before the Attorney-General last
Saturday set forth facts in the case which
show clearly that the Legislature has already
passed to effect upon the fact, if it be a fact,
that the objects of the Richmond and West
that is quoted correctly. Respectfully,
SCESCERIER.

To the Editor of the Dispatch
Will you please tell me in the next number of the Semi-Weekly Dispatch where this
quotation is taken from, "The Lord tempers
the wind to the short lamb"? Don't know
that is quoted correctly. Respectfully,
SCESCERIER.

SCESCERIER. Point Terminal Company are not fully mentioned in the title of the act incorporating that company. Can a writ of quo warranto be properly awarded under these circumstances? Or rather, for what purposes may a writ of quo corranto be awarded in such a case as the one under consideration?

First, for the misuse or nonuse by the corporation of its corporate privileges and leges and franchises? Those that are accorded to it in its charter. It would be difficult to make it appear that the Richmond and West Point Terminal Company has exceeded its corporate privileges in any respect.

Second, for the exercise of a privilege or franchise not conferred upon it by law. If the company has violated this law it is because the law chartering it is no ta law at

Therefore, we think it may be maintained that the Richmond and West Point Terminat Company has done nothing that brings it under the operation of the law we have | might object. just referred to. But even if it had, the Legislature has decided by its action that there has been no misuse or non-use of corporate privileges, and no exercise of privileges or franchises not conferred by law.

No Delay.

Our report of the proceedings before the Attorney-General last Saturday suggested that it would require two weeks' time for him to make up his mind whether or not to apply for a writ of quo tourranto against the Richmond and West Point Terminal Railwaand Warehouse Company. But this is the very thing which the interests of Virginia do. Time is money—much money in this The notice of the "internal-revenue recase. An irremediable wrong might be done formers" is meant, it is hoped. to the defendant company by any unneceseary delay in deciding this important matter.

It can be plausibly if not conclusively argued that the law really does not clothe | To the Editor of the Dispatch: the Attorney-General with the power to apply for a writ of quo warranto for the reason assigned in this case-to wit, that the object of the law chartering the Richmond and West Point Terminal Railway and Warehouse Company is not fully stated in the law. Anyhow the Commonwealth of Virginia ought not to be arrayed on either side. The Code provides that others than the Attorney-General may take the steps asked for in this case; and it would be much better to allow some one else to do it. "If the Attorney-General," says the Code, "open being requested" "refuse or fall to apply for the writ the person so interested

may present his petition to such court or judge asking for the same." "The person so interested," says the Code. of any person interested; but he may refuse kept on hand by all good housekeepers. 25 cents.

can proceed as directed. There is no good reason why the State should be brought into this contention. The persons interested have BY THE DISPATCH COMPANY. a clear right to apply for the writ and the courts full power to grant it. The policy of the Commonwealth is evidenced by several laws bearing upon this very case. The interests of the Commonwealth are with the defendant company.

Bismarck's Advice.

BISMARCK advises England to put her mill-"Take a Pill?" ary household in order as a safeguard against war between France and Russia on the one side and the little Island on the other, and says he is willing to conclude an alliance with England. In this the shrewd old Chancellor spoke one word for England and several for Germany. Doubtless he would like to see in the shape of a formal and ironclad agreement what appears to be an under-Ayer's Pills,
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Sold by all Druggists and Dealers in Medicine. standing between England and the signatory Powers to the triple alliance. He would doubtless like France and Russia to know that there would be no mistake about where MEETINGS. England with her great navy would be found should the peace of Europe be broken. There is no inistake regarding the friendly feeling of the English Government towards Austria and Italy. Salisbury is on record in pretty plain terms touching that matter. As reaconcy. Members of aconcy.

nally invited to avend.

By order of the W. M.

JUNIUS A. COSBY,

Secretary. gards the Austro-English understanding especially, the Balkan problem places Austria in a position almost to command English

support. BISMARCK understands that a formal Anglo-German alliance or the formal entrance of England into the triple alliance would upset the calculations of those who imagine that the Governments of Germany We can recollect when the rates of postage and England care anything concerning the were: Upon letters passing from one State alleged quarrel between the royal families into another, 25 cents; on letters delivered of those two countries. He knows that an in the county wherein mailed, 16 cents; and alliance in either shape mentioned would be other rates varying according to the distance | a potent factor in preserving the peace of the letters were transported. The single rate | Europe, but that should this be broken by of postage was upon a single sheet of paper. Russia and France England's navy would Any strip of paper added doubled the rate. be invaluable in aiding in protecting the Of course no envelopes were used, and it Italian coast while the Italian army marched was not necessary to ascertain the weight of into France. Both the moral support of England and the support of British guns are It has been only a few years since the law what the Iron Chancellor is manœuvring

A WISE MAYOR. - Mayor FITLER, of Phileusable folly of making ten toousand of a A wisk alayor, mayor rinks inspected are cordin indred thousand subscribers pay postage adelphia, and many other persons inspected fe 19-11 upon papers instead of making one editor last Saturday the new water-gas works. We advocated the new law zealous- Mayor FITLER in his speech took occasion to ly; and the late J. H. St. Andrew used to say that during his administration he would give us the credit, which we never claimed not allow the business to pass from the con-

trol of the city. There were a good many speeches made, antiquated feature-one feature out of date. | but none better than that. For a city to surrender its gas-works is criminal folly. In lations, but of one of the least justifiable. England the tendency is for the cities to buy

IMPURE ICE .- After stating that it was country neighborhoods. Why should not formerly believed that the process of freezing letters be delivered by letter-carriers in every purified the water or the ice, and that that town in this country? Why should not belief was now known to be unfounded, the

It is not surprising that Professor Danle C. Eaton protests vehemently against the granting of a charter to a company which proposes to run street-ears in New Hoven by electricity carried through overhead wires.— New York Tribune.

And yet we must own that the feel "sur prised." The Richmond Union Passengerters and papers addressed to such persons Railway Company has carried millions of fall in many instances to reach their destina- passengers during the last twelve months, It may be objected that the cost of deliver- one passenger has been hurt by a wire. To ing maltable matter in small towns would be see the crowded condition of these cars in excess of the net receipts of the post- Richmond would "surprise" the Tribune. offices. That objection was made against On Sunday afternoon last, after a year's excarrying letters across the continent for perience, the people crowded the carsthree cents, or for two cents, as is now done. standing in the aisles and on the rear plat-

> Don't take that seat, Mr. Breckfuridge; What ought to be done with the wretch-

the cold-blooded hypocrite-who could find it in his malignant heart to address such a paragraph as the above to Chipros R. Binick-We said a week ago that even if the Rich- INSHUGE-a pure, high-toned gentleman, who

FARMVILLE, February 9, 1889. To the Editor of the Dispatch :

In Sterne's "Sentimental Journey." "God tempers," &c.

"Hang the murderer of John M. Clayton "rising the murderer of John M. Chayton first, investigate his politics afterward !" That is what all decent people say to the Radicals who are attempting to make politics of murder, -8t. Louis nepublic. The very fact that nobody knows who the

franchises. What are its corporate privi- murderer was or is should suffice to close the the mouths of all those who are not "decent the mouths of all those who are not "decent them at once to Mr. Halls, at 1712 east Franklin people," A Virginia State senator has written to a

member of the Michigan Legislature for in-formation regarding our State liquor law. The repir should be: "It got away soon after it was passed, and we have not been able to recapture it." - Detroit Free Press. Was this Senator STUBBS ?

BRIEF COMMENT.

"The GRANT Monument cannot be called a put-up job," Don't know. New York is JAMES LYONS. trying to make it a put-up job on other cities.

"Professor Pasteus, the great French scientist, expresses his opinion that in the future disease will be unknown." Every in all the State and Federal courts of the city of Richmond and adjacent counties. so is-3m scientist, expresses his opinion that in the

"The fact that the people of this country spend about \$100,000,000 a year for tobacco demand that the Attorney-General shall not | has not escaped the notice of the reformers."

Caroline Speaks. Millford, February 8, 1889.

To the Editor of the Dispatch:

The people of this part of the State are greatly pleased at the action of Governor Lee, Mayor Ellyson, and your paper, together with the cordial response of the people of Richmond, in relation to the use of coupons. Persistence in this patriotic course will settle this question in favor of the State. No court can compel the people to pay taxes in coupons, and if not so used they are worthless. Go on with the good work; the people of the State are with you, rejoicing that by your efforts the good old State will be firmly placed on both of her feet. Q.

Shooting Affray Near Liberty. (Special telegram to the Dispatch.) Inserts, Va., February 11.—William Quaries shot Eddie Walker last Saturday night at a feast a mile or so above this place. Walker is not expected to live till night and Quaries is in fall. Both are colored.



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COMMITTEE OF FRIEND.
SHIP LODGE, No. 19, I. O. O. F., will
meet at their lodge-room TUESDAY
RVENING, February 12, 1889, at 3 o'clock,
to attend the funeral of Past-Grand Jone
PBancz. Committee: James Fulton, noble
grand; Charles J. Billups, vice grand; W. I.
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A. L. Masurier, Secretary. fo 12-1t*

HALLOF CONTINENTAL LODGE. No. 594, KNIGHTS OF MONOR CORNER SEVENTEENTH AND MAIN STREETS.-J. T. MORRIS, Grand Dictator, will officially visit the Lorge THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, February 12, 1849, at 7:30 o'clock. All members of the order ially invited to attend.

J. R. LAMKIN, Reporter.

HEADQUARTERS H. L. L. BLUES ASSOCIATION. A QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE Association will be held at the Armory of the company, Eleventh street, THIS EVENING B. W. RICHARDSON,

T. HILL MONTAGUE, Secretary. OFFICE VA. AND NORTH CAROLINA WHEEL CO., RICHMOND, VA., February 11, 1889. lations, but of one of the least juthinable.

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Interest due on all said bond and mortgage loans, 20,345; interest accrued 27,850.01—total.

Value of lands mortgaged, excluded of buildings and perishable improve-Value of buildings mortgaged (insured for \$5,245 as collateral)...... OUNT OF STOCES, BONDS, AND TREASURY NOTES OF THE UNITED STATES AND OF THE STATE AND UTHER STATES, AND ALSO OF STOCES AND BONDS OF INCORPORATED CITIES IN THIS STATE, AND OF ALL OTHER STOCKS AND BONDS OWNED ABSOLUTELY BY THE

ASSETS.

The assets of said company, and a detailed statement of how and in what the same are in

INSURANCE STATEMENTS. PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY OF THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF Y BOLYLA.

ANNUAL STATEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING THE SIST DAY OF DECEMBER 1888
OF THE ACTUAL CONDITION OF THE SUN FIRE OFFICE COMPANY, ORGANIZED UNDER
THE LAWS OF GREAT BRITAIN, MADE TO THE AUDITOR OF FUBLIC ACCOUNTS FOR
THE COMMON WRALTH OF VIRGINIA, PURSUANT TO AN ACT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY REGULATING THE REPORTS OF INSURANCE COMPANIES, APPROVED FEBRUARY

CUN FIRE OFFICE COMPANY (UNITED STATES BRANCH).

Name of the company in full—Sun Fire Office.

Home or principal office of said company—London, England.

Character of the company—Fire.

Name of the South State of South State of the S

United States 6 per cent. bonds of 1899.
United States 4 per cent. bonds of 1907 (registered)....... Total per and market value, carried out at market value, £99,000 00 \$644,500 00

Cash in company's principal office.
Cash belonging to the company deposited in United States National Bank
Interest due and accrued on stocks not included in "market value"
dross premiums in course of collection not more than three months due.
All other property belonging to the company—via, due from other companies for reinsurance on losses already paid—United States Reinsurance, 506.75; Niagara Fire, \$106.90—total. \$614,500 00 814,500

The gross amount of the assets of the company..... AGGREGATE ANOUNT OF ALL THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY, STATED AT THEIR ACTUAL losses resisted, including interest, costs, and other expenses thereon..... Total gross amount of claims for losses.....

Potal unearment for salaries, rent, advertising, and for agone, and to been expenses.

All other demands against the company, absolute and contingent, due and to been due, admitted and contested—viz. commissions, brokerage, and other charges; and to recome due to agents and brokers on premiums paid and in course of column, 110,000.47; roturn premiums, \$21,274—total. AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF ALL LIABILITIES, INCLUDING PAID-UP CAPITAL STOCK AND NE INCOME. The income of said company during the preceding twelve months, and from what

ross premiums received in such, without any deduction. Gross cush receipts for premiums.
Deduct only re(usurance, rebate, abatement, and return premiums. Net out actually received for premiums.

Received for interest on beads and mortgages.
Received for interest and dividends on stocks and bonds, collsteral leave, and from all AGUREGATE AMOUNT OF INCOME ACTUALLY RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR.... EXPENDITURES. The expenditures of said company, giving a detailed statement of the said Gress amount actually paid for losses, including \$91,518.07 losses occurring

AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF ACTUAL EXPENSES DURING THE YEAR

THE OLDEST FIRE-INSURANCE COMPANY IN THE WORLD. PLEASANTS & Sons, Agents,

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Name of company in full-THE GUARANTEE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA. or principal office of said company—157 James stress for of company—Gramantee only. Int—Sin Arrantees I, Galt.
Self-est and managing director—Edward Rawlings. Lant—House t Kasa.

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Loads on bond and muricage stuly recorded and being first liens on the fee simple) upon which set more than one year's interest is due.

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torces premums in course of collection not more than three months due.

All other property belonging to the company—vzz, furniture, including sales...

III. LIABILITIES. The Rebilities of said company:

AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF ALL LIABILITIES, INCLUDING PAID-UP CAPITAL STOCK AND NET

From premiums in course of collection December 31, 1838.... From premiums on risks written and renewed in 1888...... Deduct premiums in course of collection

Net cash actually received for promiums.

Received for interest on bonds and mortgages.
Income received from all other sources via. claims recovered, \$7,178.69; balance of deposit on account Quebec tax act, 1888, now returned, \$125.

Received for calls on capital. AGGREGATS AMOUNT OR INCOME ACTUALLY RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR...... V. EXPENDITURES.

Total deductions..... \$10,771 99 Set amount paid during the year for losses.

Dividends actually paid stockholders.

Paid for commissions or brokerage.

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Paid for salaries, foca, and all other charges of officers, clerks, agents, and all other employees.

Paid for State, national, and local taxes in this and other States.

Sworn to in the city of Montreal, Dominion of Canada, on the 28th of January, 1884, by Edward wilnow, vice president, and Robert Kern, accountant, before Edward W. H. Pathlits, a notary blic and commissioner of the Superior Court.

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Swern to by J. J. Guilk, manager of the United States branch, in the city of New York, on the id day of January, 1898, before Charles Nettleton, commissioner for Virginia in New York.

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W IL ASSETS. The assets of said company, and a detailed statement of how and in what the same are

AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF ALL THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY, STATED AT THEIR ACTUAL VALUE.

Not amount of unpaid losses. \$ 24,718 51 css premiums without any deduction received and receivable upon all uner-pried coarrante risks running one year so has from date of policy, \$222,679.57; unmarmed, 30 per cent, as per risk and premium schodule. \$211,333 78

IV. INCOME. The income of said company during the preceding twelve months, and from what so are de-

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All other payments and exponditures—viz. advertising, rent and taxes, printing and
stationery, inspection and revision legariments (outside sundry office charges), postage, parcels, and telegrams, and law charges. AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF ACTUAL EXPENSES DURING THE TRAB......